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PART I.

IMPORTANT GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

CHIEF SECRETARIAT.

Placing Mr. C. E. Rama Rau, on Special Duty.

ORDER No. O. 3034-41—O. E. 132-25-1, DATED 19TH MAY 1926.

Mr. C. E. Rama Rau, Registrar, General and Revenue Secretariat, is placed on Special Duty, with effect from 2nd June 1926, in connection with the arrangements for the reception and entertainment of Indian Guests during the Festivities connected with the Birthday of His Highness the Maharaja in June 1926.

2. Gentlemen invited to Mysore as guests are requested to place themselves in communication with that officer for any information or assistance they may require in the way of accommodation, conveyance, etc., at Mysore

3. The Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, the President, Mysore City Municipal Council and the Executive Engineer, Special Division, Mysore, are requested to render all reasonable help to the Officer on Special Duty.

P. G. D'SOUZA,
Chief Secretary to Government.

Report on the Chemical, Bacteriological and Toxicological Work.

READ—

The Report on the Chemical, Bacteriological and Toxicological Work done in the Public Health Institute in Mysore, Bangalore, during the calendar year 1925, received from the Director, Public Health Institute, with his letter No. 1104, dated 3rd—10th April 1926.

ORDER No. G. 9047-56—SANY. 48-25-4, DATED 11TH MAY 1926.

Recorded.

2. *Chemical Section.*—One hundred and three articles were received for analysis during the year in the section against 64 in 1924. As usual, the bulk of the work in this section related to analysis of samples of water received from Districts. Of the 67 samples received, 19 were found fit for drinking purposes and 48 were condemned.

3. *Bacteriological Section.*—Three thousand four hundred and forty examinations were conducted against 2,239 in 1924. Three hundred and thirty-four samples of water were examined as to the presence of cholera vibrio, and the results were negative in all the cases. Under the work done in the section, examinations relating to the Veterinary Department are also included.

4. *Toxicological Examination.*—One hundred and thirty-eight cases with 401 articles were received for examination during the year in this section as against 182 cases with 484 articles in 1924. The bulk of the work in this section related, as usual, to the examination of suspected poisons and of blood stains, which accounted for 33 and 52 cases with 116 and 142 articles, respectively.

R. RANGA RAO,
Secretary to Government,
Medical and Agricultural Depts.